

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

July 22, 2018



Richard Upting, Cal OES Tactical Communications, Communications Reserve Unit (CRU) Mutual Aid Region (MAR) 2, conducting Comm Van 24/25 Training at Cal OES Southern Region Emergency Operations Center in Los Alamitos for Cal OES CRU Personnel.

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SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Normal Operations	Level 3	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Cal OES INLAND REGION

On 07/21/18 at 0726 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a report from Sacramento International Airport Communications Center advising that Sacramento International Airport personnel responded to a medical call at 0455 hours. The patient, a Southwest Airlines passenger, was complaining of a burning sensation to their legs. A baggage handler for the Southwest Airlines flight the patient was supposed to be traveling on began experiencing pain/burning sensation in his hands. The original patient's bags, and bags of other passengers near the patient's bag, were isolated and placed in an open air pick up truck away from the other bags/flight. Sacramento Airport Fire Department personnel declared a HAZMAT incident at 0657 hours.

- The Sacramento County Sheriff's Office requested the following agencies: Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Department of Homeland Security (DHS), California National Guard Civil Support Team (CST) (Activated)
 - Sacramento International Airport Communications Center advised:
 - The flight was en route to Chicago Midway Airport - Southwest Flight #5861
 - No other flight cancellations and no evacuation were ordered
 - Three individuals were treated for being exposed to the substance and quarantined until the substance is identified.
 - The Cal OES Fire and Law Enforcement Branch Duty Officers have been in contact with FBI and local fire incident commanders.
 - According to the Law Duty Officer - military CST is being used for their technical expertise in collecting the substance for accurate identification.
 - The substance was not identified by traditional fire department hazmat methods and is being further examined by CST and law enforcement
 - The Cal OES Inland Region Duty Officer contacted the County; they have no unmet needs.
 - Additional details will be provided when they become available.
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- See Fire Activity Slides.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

The California State Warning Center (CSWC) is closely monitoring a heat event with the National Weather Service (NWS), California ISO (CAL ISO). A conference call will be held 07/23/18 at 1100 hours, to discuss the current weather forecast and the State Heat Plan. CAL ISO will also provide a briefing.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)

Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in Backyard Poultry and Avian in Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Riverside Counties

The California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) has detected virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in chickens in Los Angeles, San Bernardino Counties, and Riverside Counties.

- On 05/16/18, CDFA detected VND in a small flock of backyard exhibition chickens in Los Angeles County, and confirmed on 05/17/18 by the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS).
- On 06/27/18, CDFA detected VND in backyard exhibition chickens in Riverside county and was confirmed on 06/30/18 by USDA APHIS.
- CDFA is the state lead on the incident, with support from Cal OES and in collaboration with USDA.
- USDA Incident Management Teams (IMTs) continue to rotate every two weeks to facilitate the management and support the response to the incident. [The Gold IMT is transitioning into the ICP today, 07/22/18 for a three week rotation.](#)
- CDFA confirmed there are no commercial premises currently involved and there is no public health risk due to this virus. Commercial surveillance actively continue to work with commercial premises in the surveillance zones on biosecurity to help protect their poultry from VND.
- Backyard Surveillance (education and outreach) continues in the surveillance zones.

Declaration

- On 06/26/18 at 1840 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a report regarding Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) from the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA). CDFA has declared an Agricultural Emergency to provide the department the authority to activate internal emergency provisions and to expedite the request for permits and waivers required to perform designated activities under an emergency basis.

Quarantine

- The California Department of Food and Agriculture State Veterinarian has established an animal (defined poultry species) and animal products quarantine in designated disease control areas in the counties of San Bernardino and Riverside. The State Veterinarian's quarantine powers per the Food and Agriculture Code (Section 9562) includes the power to order movement, segregation, isolation, or destruction of animals or food products, as well as the power to hold animals or food products in place. The quarantine is effective Monday, 07/09/18.

Activations

- San Bernardino Operational Area (OA) EOC is activated to Level 3 (lowest level) and will continue to monitor the incident.

Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Southern Region Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) is deployed to the ICP as an AREP (Agency Representative). Operational Period of 0700-1900 hours.
- See Fire Activity Slides.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels		
National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 4	Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

INLAND REGION

Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County

Location: Hwy. 140 x Hite Cove, Near El Portal

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Madera-Mariposa-Merced Unit/Sierra National Forest

Start Date/Time: 07/13/18 at 2035 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [07/22/18 at 0752 hours](#):

- [30,493 acres, 6% contained](#)
- Expected containment: 07/31/18
- Threatened structures: [3,446](#) single residences, 3 nonresidential commercial properties, 35 other minor structures
- CA Fed IMT4, Cal Fire Team, Mariposa County Sheriff
- Active fire behavior with uphill runs, backing and spotting
- Continued Structure threat
- Steep terrain with limited access
- 1 Firefighter fatality

Activations

- Inland Region Regional Emergency Operations Center (REOC) activated at Level 3, Duty Officer status (lowest level), operational period 0700-1900 hours.
- Mariposa County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) activated at Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours.

FIRE ACTIVITY

INLAND REGION (Continued)

Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County (Continued)

Deployments

- 3 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs and 1 Mechanic assigned
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC to the Mariposa County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technician and 1 Trainee assigned
- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief ([Monitoring](#))

Proclamations

- On 07/15/18, Mariposa County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA to assist with recovery efforts. On 07/19/18, Mariposa County submitted the Ratified Proclamation.

Evacuations

Per the Cal OES Law Enforcement Duty Officer (LDO) as of [07/22/18 at 0730 hours](#):

- Mandatory evacuations:
- Jerseydale area, which includes all residences on Jerseydale Rd., Hites Cove Rd., and all side roads from Triangle Rd. [to the end of Hites Cove Rd.](#)
- [Incline Rd. from Clearing House to the Foresta Bridge.](#)
- El Portal Trailer Park at Hwy. 140 and Trailer Ct., El Portal
- Old El Portal, Rancheria Flat-Government Housing, Foresta, Yosemite View Lodge
- [Yosemite West, Anderson Valley](#)

Shelter

- American Red Cross (ARC), New Life Christian Fellowship, 5089 Cole Rd., Mariposa
 - Midnight shelter count: [10](#)

Evacuation Center

- Yosemite National Park Valley School, 9009 Lost Arrow Rd., Yosemite National Park ([Closed on 7/21/18 at 1200 hours](#))

Animal Shelter

- Small Animal Shelter: SPCA of Mariposa County, 5599 CA-49, Mariposa
- Large Animal Shelters:
 - Mariposa County Fairgrounds, 5007 Fairgrounds Rd., Mariposa
 - Coarsegold Rodeo Grounds: 44777 Rodeo Grounds Ln., Coarsegold (standby status)

FIRE ACTIVITY

INLAND REGION (Continued)

Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County (Continued)

Road Closure

- SR 140 is closed between Midpines and Yosemite National Park Boundary
- Signs in the park indicate Hwy 140 at Hwy 120 will be closing
- [WB Hwy 140 at the Mariposa County Line](#)

Critical Infrastructure

Per CUEA as of 07/21/18 at [1836 hours](#):

- PG&E reported [54 customers](#) are out of service in the El Portal area due to the fire.
- Mariposa Pines area (on the Southwest side of the fire) has been de-energized
- Power outage in the communities of Jerseydale and Mariposa Pine (168 customers).
- [AT&T infrastructure threatened by the Ferguson fire - The El Portal Central Office along the Merced River, and the Hennes Ridge radio site.](#)

Health and Medical

- Mariposa County Human Services has set up a dedicated line for residents with Access and Functional Needs (AFN) who may need assistance in evacuating. Toll free number is 1-833-423-0816.
- [County Human Services has distributed information on how residents can construct do-it-yourself air scrubbers consisting of a box fan and an air conditioner filter. For some populations, Human Services are providing the kit and constructing/installing them.](#)
- [County Mass Care and Shelter Team stood up a rostered Evacuation Team available for deployment in the event that an evacuation occurs in an area where AFN individuals are affected. They maintain a database and have contacted those individuals.](#)

Missions

- 2018-IREOC-48201: See Cal OES Mission Tasking Slide

Law Enforcement

- [10 Law Enforcement Mutual Aid \(LEMA\) officers](#)
- 3 CHP officers

Recovery

- [Regional Summary and Initial Damage Estimates inputted into Cal EOC.](#)
- [The County Administrator's Office has taken the lead for recovery and is in the process of updating their recovery website. Currently, this mainly focuses on processes for cleaning out spoiled food from extended power outages.](#)

FIRE ACTIVITY

COASTAL REGION

Carder, Vegetation Fire, Lake County

Location: Adobe Creek Rd. x Peterson Ln., Kelseyville

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, Lake-Napa Unit

- 57 acres, grass and brush, 40% contained
- Evacuations in progress for Adobe Creek Rd., Carder Ln. and Wight Ln.
- One residential structure destroyed

Evacuations

Per the Cal OES Law Enforcement Duty Officer (LDO) as of 07/22/18 at 0730 hours:

- Mandatory evacuations:
- Kelsey Creek Dr. to Carder Wy.
- Adobe Creek Rd. to Peterson Ln.

Shelters

The Coastal Duty Officer (CDO) states a shelter has been established at:

- Lakeport Community Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1111 Park Wy., Lakeport.

Road Closures

- All roads within the evacuation area are closed.

FIRE ACTIVITY

SOUTHERN REGION

Skyline, Vegetation Fire, Riverside County

Foothill Pkwy. x Elysia St., near the City of Corona

State/Federal/Local DPA, SRA/FRA/LRA, Riverside Unit/Cleveland National Forest/City of Corona

Start date/time: 07/19/18 at 1510 hours

Per the Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of **07/22/18 at 0752 hours:**

- 250 acres grass and brush, **80% contained**
- CAL FIRE, USFS and City of Corona in unified command

Deployments

- **1** Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief.
- **1** Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians

FMAG

- On 07/19/18 at 1911 hours, A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) request was received from the incident and has been placed on hold.

Valley, Vegetation Fire, San Bernardino County (FINAL)

Location: Hwy 38 x Valley of the Falls Dr., Community of Forest Falls

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA/SRA, San Bernardino National Forest

Start Date/Time: 07/06/18 at 1329 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/21/18 at 0738 hours:

- 1,348 acres, 29% contained
- Local Forest Type 3 Team

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes

- There are no Lifeline Route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- There are no Non-Lifeline Route closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- See Fire Activity Slides.

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current highway conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current highway conditions.



California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

- None reported.

Service Interruptions:

- None reported.

WEATHER OF CONCERN

Weather of Concern

Northern California:

- There is fire weather concern for portions of Central Siskiyou County Including Shasta Valley-Shasta-Trinity National Forest in Siskiyou County-Siskiyou County from the Cascade Mountains East and South to Mt Shasta-Modoc County through 2300 hours.
- Through this evening, a Flash Flood Watch is in effect due to thunderstorms with heavy rain for portions of east central California, including the following areas, Greater Lake Tahoe Area and Mono County.

Southern California:

- A long duration heat wave with record-breaking temperatures is possible next week for much of Southern California. There is the potential for high heat risk mainly for interior locations including the valleys and mountains Monday through at least Thursday.
- There is fire weather concerns for portions of Santa Barbara County due to gusty northwest to north winds, low relative humidity and hot temperatures Tuesday afternoon through Thursday morning of the coming week.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>



WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

***** High Risk in the Far Eastside, Northern Sierra, Northeast CA, and NW Mtns Today through Tuesday Due to Lightning *****

Moist unstable monsoon air is in place throughout the region. The main focus for showers and thunderstorms this afternoon and evening will be in the Far Eastside, Northern Sierra, Northeast CA, and NW Mtns, and these are the areas with a High Risk of new large fires due to lightning ignitions. Isolated activity is possible in nearby valleys and in the Mendocino NF. Thunderstorms will be capable of producing heavy rain SE of Susanville, reducing the threat of new lightning fires there somewhat. Thunderstorms will be on the drier side elsewhere. Monday will be about the same. Showers and thunderstorms will be more isolated on Tuesday. High pressure will begin building in from the south today, bringing a warming trend to areas not affected by convection. Outflow gusts from thunderstorms could reach 40-50 mph. Otherwise, only typical summer time slope and sea breeze winds are expected.

Temperatures will increase to 6-12 degrees above normal Mon-Fri with the peak heating on Wednesday or Thursday. Wednesday through Friday will also be dry with mostly clear skies. Coastal areas will be under the influence of a shallow marine layer and a light onshore flow during the upcoming week.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

*****Scattered wet thunderstorms mainly over the Sierra and Northern Deserts through Tuesday*****

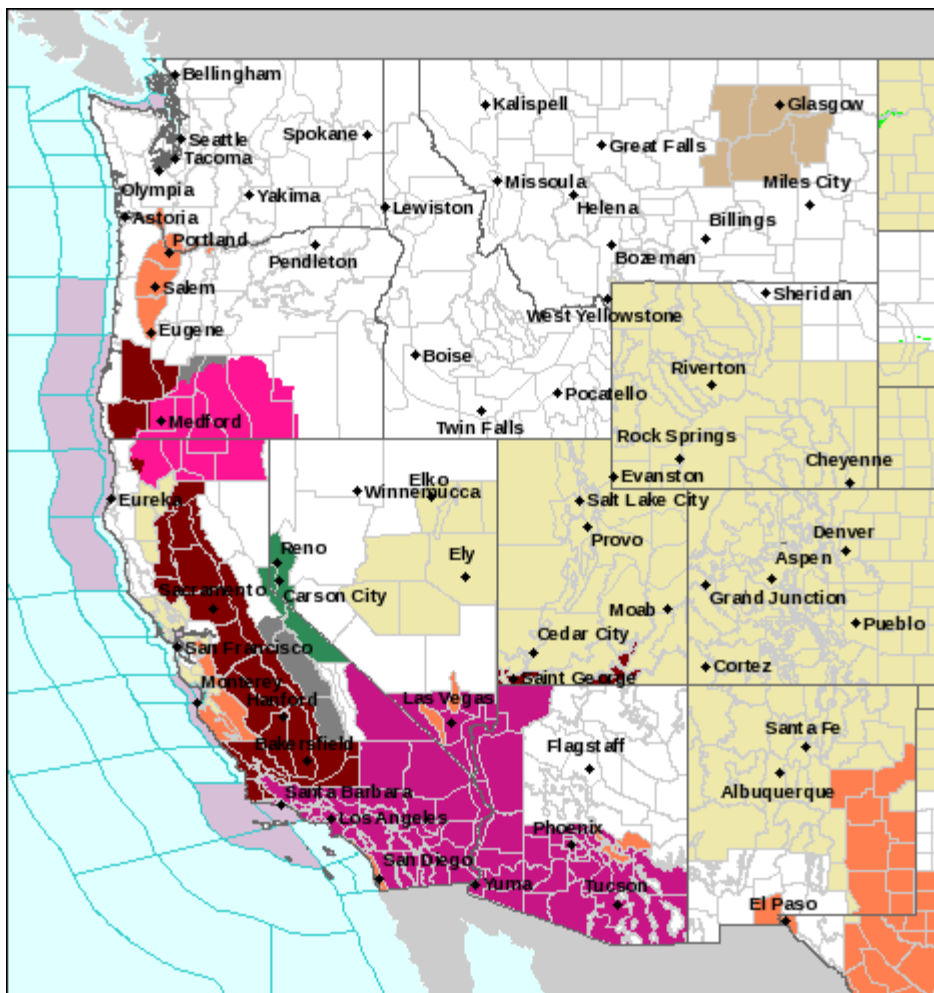
*****Gusty nighttime north winds over Santa Barbara County and the Grapevine through Thursday*****

*****Hot Monday through Friday*****

South flow aloft will continue to bring enough moisture into the region for scattered afternoon showers and wet thunderstorms mainly over the Sierra Crest and Northern Deserts through Tuesday. However, isolated afternoon showers and wet thunderstorms will be possible over the higher mountain and desert locations of Southern California through Tuesday. There will be nighttime north winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph over Santa Barbara County and the Grapevine through Thursday. High pressure currently over New Mexico will shift slowly westward through Thursday when it will be directly overhead bringing significant warming and drying to the region. Maximum temperatures will be in the upper 70s and 80s across the mountains and 90s to 102 in the valleys today. Temperatures will warm to between 10 to 15 degrees above normal Tuesday through Thursday. Minimum humidity will stay between 20% and 40% today and then drop to between 15% and 30% Monday and Tuesday. Minimum humidity will be mainly in the teens Wednesday through Friday. A slow cooling trend will take place Friday through next weekend as high pressure moves northeast and becomes centered over the Great Basin. Isolated to scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms will return to the mountains and deserts of Southern California next Saturday and to the Sierra and Northern Deserts next Sunday.



WEATHER MAP



- [Flood Warning](#)
- [Excessive Heat Warning](#)
- [Flash Flood Watch](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Heat Advisory](#)
- [High Surf Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Hazardous Seas](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Winds](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Lake Wind Advisory](#)
- [Beach Hazards Statement](#)
- [Excessive Heat Watch](#)
- [Fire Weather Watch](#)
- [Air Quality Alert](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- **2018-LAW-48564, 07/21/18, 1100 hours:** Sacramento County Sheriff's Department (SCSD) requested the assistance of the California National Guard 95th Civil Support Team(CNG 95th CST) to collect and identify an unknown substance from quarantined luggage where a hazmat incident was declared at the Sacramento International Airport. At 1126 hours, CNG 95th CST accepted the mission and was deployed. LDO updated SCSD. **Mission Ongoing**

Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- **2018-Coastal-48555:** 1 Air Monitor for Humboldt County due to wildfire smoke. (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-48516:** 2018 July Statewide Wildfires – 1 air monitor for El Dorado County due to impacts in South Lake Tahoe from the Northern CA fires (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-48201:** Mariposa – Ferguson - 5 portable air quality monitors for the Ferguson Incident. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-47927:** 2018 July Statewide Wildfires – 1 CNG MEDEVAC Type I rotary wing helicopter with rescue hoist capabilities assigned to support aerial firefighting operations in the State of California (On Scene)
- **2018-IREOC-47791:** 2018 June Inland Fires - 2 portable air quality monitors were requested; one to be located at the Esparto Community Services District facility, 26490 Woodland Ave., Esparto, and one to be located at the fenced well site, 501 E. Main St., Winters. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-47755:** 1 CNG remotely piloted MQ-9 or RC-26 fixed wing aircraft with persistent infrared imagery and perimeter mapping capabilities to support aerial firefighting operations in the State of California. Weather and conditions will dictate which platform will be utilized to support the requested mission. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-47611:** CNG medevac helicopter with night vision to be positioned at Mather. (On Scene)
- **2018-IREOC-45244:** Caltrans to remove dead and dying trees along highways in Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Butte, Plumas, Sierra, Shasta, and Lassen counties. (On Scene – Long-term assignment)
- **2017-SOC-44098:** 2017 December Wildfires - CalRecycle Debris Management Team in Ventura County. (Coordinating)
- **2017-Inland-42559:** Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (ARB). (On Scene)



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We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.